

BIG MILK DEALERS  
WILL SEE HOOVERLikely to Confer With Food  
Administrator Before Fix-  
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## FARMERS' ACTION AMAZES

Distributors Deplore Precipitate  
Action Before Govern-  
ment Finished Inquiry.

Although officials of milk distributing concerns say it is perfectly obvious that the retail price of milk for October and November must be advanced to meet the increase of one and one-half cents a quart which they will have to pay to the farmer, they are not prepared as yet to announce just how much the retail price will be.

Benjamin S. Halsey, vice-president of the National Milk Producers' Federation, thought the increased demands of the dairymen may mean 14 and possibly 15 cent milk to the city consumer.

The price to the consumer will advance in the proportion of the new schedule of the dairymen," Mr. Halsey said. "We have to make a fixed profit, which is on a minimum basis, and if our cost is increased we will have to raise the retail price to cover it."

C. R. Wiant, president of Horden's Farm Products Division, admitted that the increased cost of milk in the country is a serious matter, but said it is impossible now to say what the retail price will be.

"We have found that with an increase in price there is always a decrease in the volume of sales," Mr. Wiant said. "There has been a marked decrease of sales with all the increases of price, and as the price goes higher the decrease in sales is greater. The increase in sales makes our overhead charges proportionately higher for each unit of our organization, and makes the cost of handling each quart of milk just so much more."

"It follows, therefore, that it may be necessary for the dealers to increase the retail price now that the dairymen have increased our prices to offset the increase in unit overhead charges that the decrease in sales is likely to result in."

## Conference With Hoover Likely.

It is believed that before the distributors accept the terms of the dairymen's offer to fix prices for October and November they will have a conference with Food Administrator Hoover to see what can be done about the farmers' latest demands.

Both representatives of the distributors and officials of the Dairymen's League have had meetings with Mr. Hoover.

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## GERMAN EDITORS INDICTED.

Two of Philadelphia "Tagblatt"

Staff Peace Treason Charge.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 15.—The five most ardent in connection with the raid by the Government on the Tagblatt, a German language daily newspaper published in this city, to-day were indicted by the Federal Grand Jury. The men are Peter Schaefer, president; Louis Werner, editor in chief; Dr. Martin Darrow, managing editor; Herman Lemke, business manager, and Paul Vogel, treasurer. They will be tried for conspiring to print false reports in violation of the espionage law.

There were nine additional counts in an indictment of Werner and Darrow on the espionage law. All are at liberty on \$10,000 bail each.

Secret service men, translators and Government attorneys still are engaged in examining the great mass of printed matter and manuscript seized when the newspaper office was raided Monday.

SCOUTS FLOUT, BUT  
FAIL TO ROUT RIVALSUnited States Organization  
Fights for Name in Court  
Proceedings.

The United States Boy Scouts, a military organization, filed answer in the Supreme Court yesterday to the suit by the Boy Scouts of America asking that the former organization be prohibited from using the words Boy Scout or Boy Scouts in its name.

The Boy Scouts of America allege that money intended for them have gone to the other organization, because the names of the two organizations are so much alike.

The United States Boy Scout leaders will make counter allegations through their attorneys, Blauvelt & Warren, they say. They insist, however, that the use of the full name of each organization would eliminate any difficulties of recognition in the public mind, and assert that the Boy Scouts of America, as a name not subject to copyright.

L. W. Amerman, general of the United States Boy Scout organization, said yesterday that "Mr. West, manager of the Boy Scouts of America, in his complaint has made statements maliciously untrue. This we will prove, and prove further that the Boy Scouts of America are essentially non-military, and that the use of the name Boy Scouts is not subject to copyright."

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C.H. SABIN WARNS ON  
WAR TIME FINANCINGOnly Country's Most Urgent  
Needs Should Be Provided  
For, Says Banker.

## FAVORS CLOSE ANALYSIS

Government Board or Commission  
to Pass on All Flota-  
tions Recommended.

Charles H. Sabin, president of the Guaranty Trust Company, in declaring that the United States Government should have the right of way in its demands for labor, capital and materials recommends that a Government board or commission be appointed to pass on the priority of public securities offerings.

"The country's business to-day is war and every proposition should be measured by the standard of its necessities," says Mr. Sabin. "Only as the successful government is furthered can any venture be justified. Both public and private needs which are not absolutely compelled by the exigencies of their situation should be held in abeyance and no new financing encouraged which does not meet an absolute and immediate need."

"Municipalities, corporations and individuals should all be guided by the same principle and should subject every proposition to the close analysis of war requirements."

"It may even be necessary to suggest the formation of a Government board to pass on the priority of public financial offerings, as is now being done in the fields of transportation and production. In order to perform our successful part in the war there must be continuous new financing in transportation and industrial fields to enable these important military aids to render the service demanded by them. The investment market should be kept open to their requirements as far as possible."

"It is increasingly manifest also that new Government financing must be met out of new savings, and not out of the liquidation of existing securities or through withdrawal of bank deposits, which would of necessity cripple the business and industrial world. There can be no such business as 'business as usual' under war conditions, and we must adjust our minds to inevitable sacrifices and new savings in order to meet the changed conditions."

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BEST GOVERNED CITYSenator Urges Republicans to  
Support Mitchel.In a speech last night before the members of the Eighteenth Assembly District Republican Club of Kings county United States Senator William M. Calder urged the Republican voters of the greater city to support Mayor John Purroy Mitchel and the other fusion candidates for city offices.

He said that during the three years of his Mayoralty Mr. Mitchel had done more toward disintegrating Tammany Hall and destroying the things that Tammany stands for than any other man in the history of the city.

"A Washington where men gather from all parts of the country," said Senator Calder, "is often remarked that the government of New York stands head and shoulders above that of any other city in the United States. The words of praise heaped upon our Mayor and his associates at the capital make a main proud of his residence in this imperial city."

"New York city to-day is the best governed large city in America. The standard of its government is becoming as distinctly a matter of praise as its evil mismanagement under Tammany was a byword of reproach years ago. The independent action through the city is consolidating upon the fusion ticket in order that it may win on election day and continue this type of government."

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